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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

28 We are authorized to announce JOHN Q. HARMAN, of Alexander County, as a candidate for Clerk of the Appellate Court, Fourth District, Illinois, subject to the decision of the Democratic convention called to meet at Centralia, May 16, 1878.

29 We are authorized to announce R. A. D. WILBANKS, of Washington County, as a candidate for Clerk of the Supreme Court, Southern Grand Division, Illinois, subject to the decision of the Democratic nominating convention, to be held at Centralia, May 16, 1878.

30 We are authorized to announce HADWIN CASE, of Carle, Clinton County, as a candidate for Clerk of the Appellate Court, Fourth District, Illinois, subject to the decision of the Democratic convention called to meet at Centralia, May 16, 1878.

31 We are authorized to announce W. C. LECHON, of Edinburgh County, as a candidate for Clerk of the Appellate Court, Fourth District, Illinois, subject to the decision of the Democratic convention called to meet at Centralia, May 16, 1878.

THE DAILY BULLETIN.

Only Morning Daily in Southern Illinois.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY AND COUNTY.

ABOUT TOWN.

Council meets to-night.

Mr. Wm. H. Morris is in New Orleans.

Miss Lila Morris left for her home at Wilmington, Ills., yesterday.

Mrs. J. B. Kelly left for Cincinnati on steamer Idlewild Saturday evening.

Misses Carrie Morgan and Mary Stephens, of Centralia, are in the city, the former the guest of Miss Fannie Barclay, and the latter of Miss Frank Rexford.

A county convention of the Sabbath School Association of Alexander county will be held on the 25th and 26th of June next. Cairo will probably be the place selected for the meeting.

Mr. John Haynes arrived home Monday. At the next special meeting of the Executive Social and Literary society, to be held at the residence of Mrs. Walbridge, Mr. H. will deliver his lecture on "Texas."

Mrs. Casper Yost, through a rush of blood to the head, has been temporarily deprived of the use of her mental faculties. The early recovery of the lady is earnestly hoped for by her many friends.

Mrs. Dr. Marcan returned to the city yesterday from Villa Ridge. THE BULLETIN thanks the lady for a box of delicious fruit picked by her own hands from the strawberry field of Mr. Henry Goe, of Villa Ridge.

The friends of Mayor Winter will be glad to know that he is again able to be about, although still weak from his recent attack. He is engaged in the preparation of a message to the City Council, which will be submitted to that body to-night.

That was a sight in Judge Bird's office yesterday to fill the reportorial heart with melancholy. It was five plain drunks—not even a fight, not a disorderly conduct, not an abusive language, not a "one more unfortunate"—not anything, in truth, to illumine the scene or embellish the monotony.

We knew it. A stranger put an in appearance at a levee saloon Sunday night with a nose artistically stripped of its covering. The night was dark, the sidewalks bad, he slipped and fell and was so mad—that he proposes to sue the city, laying his damages at one thousand dollars. The nose originally was cast in the fine old Roman mould, and was worth the amount claimed, if it was worth a cent.

Among the arrivals at the Planters' House yesterday were: O. G. McCoy, Goldconda, Ill.; A. S. Miley, Big Lake, Mo.; Mr. Houston, Louisville, Ky.; G. B. Henderson, Vincennes, Ind.; F. W. Nichols, Chicago, Ill.; Rev. James M. Young and lady, Morgan county, Ind.; E. T. Banks, Taylor, Texas; T. C. Andrews, Fort Worth, Texas; J. D. Deane, Comanche, Texas; John G. Terrell and wife, Bertrand, Mo.; Jennie Smith, Bertrand, Mo.; J. F. Black, St. Louis, Mo.; John Endless, New Orleans, La.; J. Atherton, Jackson, Tenn.

The residence of Mr. W. F. Pitcher, Eighteenth street, between Washington avenue and Poplar street, was entered, with burglarious intent, on two occasions last week. The thief is described as a small, swarthy negro, black as ink, wearing, besides the regulation amount of apparel, a hat conspicuous for its whiteness and streaks remarkable for their orange hue. On his first entrance to the house, Wednesday last, he managed to reach the gate with a mocking-bird and its cage, but upon an

alarm being given he dropped the property and made off. On Friday he was discovered in the parlor of the house, but again succeeded in making his escape. A lookout should be kept for the scamp.

Marsh Brown, a colored man of questionable reputation among the police, yesterday turned the tables on some of his accusers. Marsh, during Sunday last, struck up an acquaintance with a white man possessed of more dollars than sense—a not very unusual circumstance, as things go, these days. The white man got drunk, and Marsh, fearing that if the w.m.'s money should in any way be lost, he would be charged with it, tried in vain to get some one to hold it. Not succeeding, he held it himself. The affair got to the ears of the police, but before the police got to Marsh, Marsh got to the white man and gave him back his money. He was arrested, but proving these facts by witnesses, Justice Robinson discharged him.

Domestic misunderstandings are, we suppose, common enough; and when confined to the privacy of the fireside rarely obtain to the dignity of notice in public print. But then there are ambitious people who will persist in airing their dirty linen so that all the world may gaze upon it. A woman—or two women, rather—were at the bottom of this. A colored Adonis was also in it. The trio met on Commercial avenue Sunday afternoon, near the corner of Sixth street. Adonis had abandoned his wife for the more congenial company of a dishing quadroon, which so enraged the wife that she made an attack, both physical and oral, on the erring pair, and had it not been for the timely intervention of Mayor Winter, the results might have been disastrous. As it was peace was made, and the offending parties conveyed to the cooler.

All's well that ends well. Well, about eight days since THE BULLETIN stated that an attachment had been issued at the instance of a young lady in the upper part of the city for the body of a young man named Farmer, whom she charged with failing to keep solemn promises, repeatedly made. Yesterday the affair had a happy ending. Officer Hogan arrested the young man at Cobden on Saturday, lodged him in jail here Sunday morning, where he remained until yesterday morning about eleven o'clock, when he concluded that he would set matters right by calling in a minister—he was a "hard-shell Methodist," he said, "and couldn't abide them magistrates"—and have the nuptial ceremony performed. Miss Ava Mays and Mr. John Farmer were, accordingly, knit together in the strong union of body and soul, at the residence of the bride's mother—the Falls house—on Eighteenth street. There were no curds.

It has become the fashion with certain persons in this city—colored as well as white—to turn their noses skyward when Mr. Jacob Bradley makes a prediction. We are of those who believe these facial dissections to be the result of jealousy and envy. It may be true that Mr. B. is not an inspired prophet, nor, mayhap, sprung from the loins of that wisdom which the past, the present and the future know. But he can tell a peach bud when he sees it and to him it is an open book. He has lately been engaged in reading several bushels of them, and although he refuses to reveal the signs, he is willing to impart the secrets they convey. He maintains with his characteristic solemnity and sincerity, that the approaching fall will bring with it "famine, pestilence and small-pox." Of the small-pox sign, there can be no doubt. It's as plain to him as "de nose on a rigger's face, or a common sum in 'ritmetic.'" He advises some of the colored scuffers whom he would "despise to name" to "beware!" for he sees "de finger of de Lord p'intin' at 'em." The magnanimity of Mr. B. in forewarning his enemies shows another beautiful trait in this truly good, but much defamed, man's character.

The weather has been a prolific theme with all writers from Moses with his tablets up to a BULLETIN reporter with his notes, and if ever any particular season has been awarded unstinted praise, by all writers, of all colors and climes, it has been either spring; if any particular month has been singled out as most fitting to illustrate the glories of nature it has been May. Centuries, looking from the reporter's table down the corridors of time, may seem to have confirmed this opinion. It is true no longer. It is absolutely obsolete. And no rational human being, whose pursuit of a livelihood compelled his presence on the outside yesterday, will have the hardihood to assert it. It was not an ordinary sort of rain. It was not a common quality of cold. The rain drops stuck where they struck, and a half a dozen constituted a soaking. The air was chilling and killing—with diphtheria and pneumonia in every particle of it. It was full of the blues. The day, taken altogether, was the strongest strain ever put upon the red ribbon boys, and if they can resist forty-eight waking hours of such weather their good resolutions will have taken the form of invincible faith. It was indeed a sad day.

We advise John Harris to carefully avoid ever going before a jury of his peers on any charge. His countenance will hang him. If God ever made a man's face the index to his soul He stamped John Harris a villain. Low, flat brow, eyes of a greenish hue, the space between them hardly discernible, a nose bereft of shape and scarred and twisted by encounter, broad, heavy jaws overhanging a short, thick-set frame that at first glance seemed neckless—he sat there in Judge Bird's office—Bogus Riderhood come to life again. Harris is a

stranger here, and was in the city but a few hours when he tried his hand at till-tapping. Mr. Miles Parker was his victim. He robbed the money drawer in that gentleman's place of business of between four and five dollars, but unfortunately for him, the theft was discovered and the alarm given ere he got beyond the door in his flight. A hue and cry was raised as he ran up Eighth street to the levee. He took up the levee as far as Fourteenth street, where, one of his pursuers being closer upon him than he deemed safe, the flying thief drew a revolver and pointed it at his pursuer, who prudently and quickly arrived at the conclusion that he wasn't anxious to take that particular game. Marshal Arter tracked him to Lancaster's carpenter shop, under which he was said to be hidden. The place was dark, the criminal desperate and armed. But the Marshal descended and groped his way in the darkness, and was about giving the hunt up when he discovered Harris hidden in a corner with his revolver—a Colt almost navy size—levelled at himself. He instantly ordered Harris to throw up his hands, and it required a threat to enforce obedience. He was taken to jail, the money found in his hiding place, tried before Judge Bird, where these facts were in the main elicited, and bound over for trial in the sum of two hundred dollars. The affair caused some excitement.

SABBATH SCHOOL WORKERS.

MASS MEETING AT THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SUNDAY NIGHT—REMARKS BY REVS. MORRISON AND GEORGE, AND MESSRS. FISHER, STRODE AND ALDEN—AN EXHIBIT OF THE GOOD WORK IN ALEXANDER COUNTY—THE COMING STATE CONVENTION AT DECATUR.

There was a fair attendance at the Presbyterian church Sunday night in response to the call made by THE BULLETIN of Sunday morning for a mass meeting of the Sabbath School workers of the county. It should have been larger, but that it was not is due more to the unfavorable state of the weather than to any lack of zeal on the part of the friends of Sabbath schools.

The Presbyterian, Methodist, Episcopal, Baptist and Mission Sunday schools were represented.

The proceedings were opened by the singing of a selection from "Gospel Hymns and Sacred Songs," in which the assembly joined. This was followed by a reading from Scriptures by Mr. Fisher and a prayer by Rev. Mr. Morrison, and the singing of another selection from the collection of hymns mentioned.

Mr. Fisher, President of the Alexander County Sunday School Association, presided, and his remarks, though brief, were full of information and interest. They were mainly statistical. There were in the United States, he said, seven and one-half millions Sabbath school workers. The State of Illinois contributed four hundred and seventy-five thousand to this number, of whom sixty-five thousand were teachers and officers. He alluded in fitting terms to the unaltered growth of the work throughout the country, and to the constant increase in its rank and file. Referring to the work in this State he said that about one-half of the children of the public schools were attendants upon the Sabbath schools, and more than one-sixth of the whole population of the State were engaged in Sabbath school work. "We stand," he said, "in the lead among the States of the Union. Last year we fell a little behind from want of the means necessary to make full and effective work." This the speaker attributed to the financial depression felt in all circles, and by none more keenly than in the work of associations depending solely upon the generosity and benevolent impulses of their adherents and supporters. This year, he took pleasure in saying, the prospects for vigorous and extensive work, were such as to cheer the friends of the Sabbath school. Advice from many sources indicated at least a partial recovery from business prostration, and consequently a fresh impulse had been given to the cause in which they were engaged. He alluded to the coming annual convention of the Illinois Sabbath School association—the twentieth, we believe, he said—at Decatur from the 21st inst. to the 23d inclusive, urging the necessity of Cairo and Alexander county having a proper representation.

From statistics gathered by Mr. Stillwell it was shown that there were eighteen Sabbath schools in Alexander county, Cairo furnishing twelve of the number. Those in the county outside of the city are represented to be behind the average in point of numbers and management, and crude in the work undertaken by them. While this was so, the friends of the cause had reason to congratulate themselves upon the progress going on even there. The city itself compares favorably with other cities of proportionate populations. In the county there are a little less than fifteen hundred workers—scholars and teachers—twelve hundred of whom are in Cairo alone. About five hundred dollars have been expended in Sabbath school work in this city the past year, and two new schools established.

Rev. Mr. Morrison, and Messrs. Strode and Alden followed in the order named in short speeches, exhorting all the friends of the work to renewed zeal and protracted effort.

Rev. Mr. George, in his address, applied himself almost wholly to the children, alluding earnestly to the grand army of six millions who were growing up under Christian teachings to do battle for the cause of sound morals and righteousness.

The M. E. Church Sabbath School selected Rev. Mr. Morrison as delegate to the State Convention. The Presbyterian church S. S. had up to last evening selected three delegates, although the names of several have been mentioned in connection with the matter. The Baptist and Mission Sunday schools did not, in their financial circumstances, feel able to send delegates, although eager to assist in anything that would promote the laudable work.

A collection was then taken up—Alexander county's contribution to the state work—a report of which will be made at the state convention.

The meeting then adjourned.

JAMES' ADVERTISING AGENCY.—The New York Times of a recent date says this of the institution named: Mr. J. H. Bates, lately senior partner in the newspaper advertising firm of Bates & Locke, at No. 34 Park row, has rented and fitted up rooms in the Times building, No. 41 Park row. The rooms are situated at the head of the first flight of stairs, and occupy the entire Printing House Square end of the building, together with two large rooms adjoining, on Nassau street. Mr. Bates is one of the oldest advertising agents in the city, having been in the business for a great many years. He was for a long time a partner of S. M. Pettigill, with whom he continued until 1873, at which time he formed a copartnership with Mr. D. R. Locke, at that time largely interested in the Toledo Blade newspaper, both as editor and stockholder. The firm was dissolved yesterday, and to-day enters upon its career under the sole proprietorship and management of Mr. J. H. Bates.

Dedication ball and strawberry festival to be given by the Delta City fire company, at their hall, on Commercial avenue, near Eighteenth street, on Wednesday evening, May 15th. All are invited. Tickets \$1.00. By order of committee.

Postponed.—Owing to the inclement state of the weather, the basket picnic of the German school children, which was to have taken place to-day, has been postponed until further notice. COMMITTEE.

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April 22, 1878. W. P. WRIGHT.

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Eliza Williams

vs.

Frank Williams, Daniel

Hell, Catherine Schmidt,

James Cheney, Henry

Schmidt, Mary Bolder and

Edward Buder.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree rendered by said court in the above entitled cause at the January term, A. D. 1878, L. John Q. HARMAN, master in chancery of said county, will, on

FRIDAY THE 21ST DAY OF MAY, A. D. 1878,

at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the western door of the courthouse in the city of Cairo, in said County and State, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot number seven (7) in the third addition to the city of Cairo, in the County of Alexander and State of Illinois, together with the privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging or thereto appertaining.

JOHN Q. HARMAN,

Master in Chancery.

CAIRO, ILLINOIS, MAY 8, 1878.

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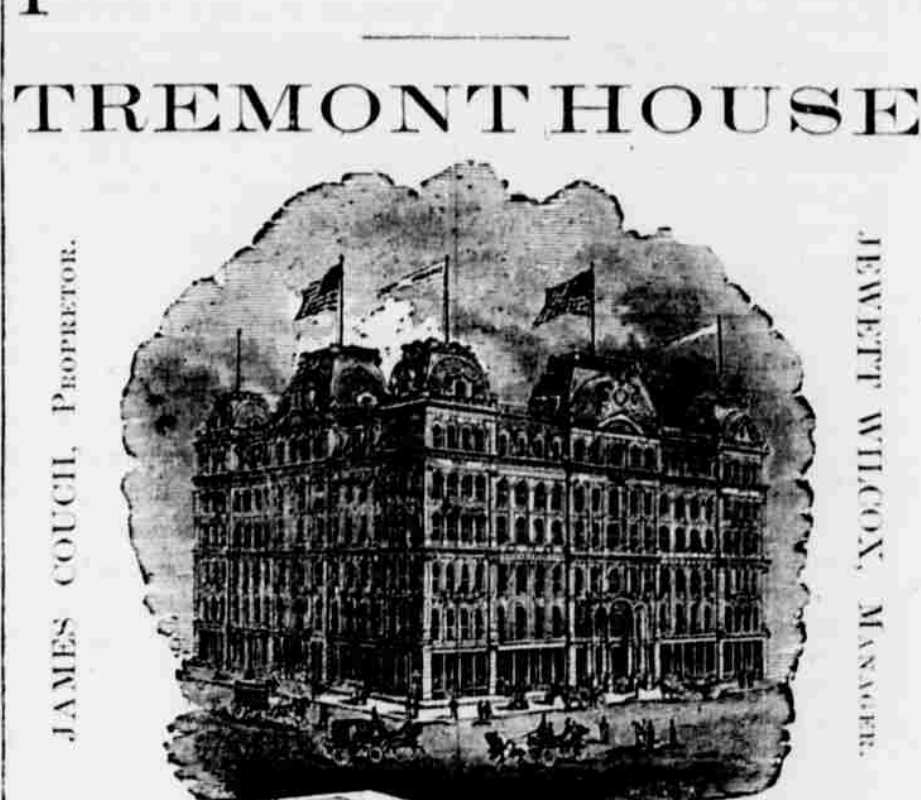
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